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Docket No.  
**BOSACO.1010**

In Re Application Of: **MARTIN, et al.**

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Invention: **Dynamic Bass Boost Apparatus and Method**



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Dear Sir:

In connection with the above-identified application, Applicant hereby attaches U.S. Patent Office Form PTO-1449. These references were cited in the International Search Report of the corresponding PCT Patent application. A copy of the International Search Report is enclosed. The claims in the present application are believed to be patentably distinguished over these references.

This information disclosure statement is being made pursuant to the duty of disclosure imposed by law and formulated in 37 CFR 1.56(a). No representation is made that the information thus disclosed in fact constitutes prior art or that it is the closest prior art, inasmuch as 37 CFR 1.56(a) relies on a materiality concept which depends on subjectivity.

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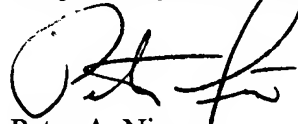
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The enclosed Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted within three months of the International Search Report as certified in the attached Certification for Information Disclosure Statement. Therefore, we believe that there are no fees involved with this information disclosure statement. However, in the event there are any fees payable, please charge them to our Deposit Account No. 08-1391.

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